

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

RESOLUTION 13-02-44-08

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE DISCONTINUATION OF GENERAL ASSISTANCE AS PART OF THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE'S PUBLIC **LAW 102-477 PLAN**

- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly is the duly elected governing body for the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe, a federally-recognized Indian Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly has established as a priority the improvement of the social and economic conditions and quality of life for the people of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly recognizes that P.L. 102-477 allows the consolidation of services and the Band Assembly fully support these goals; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly acknowledge that the Band's previous 477 Plan included General Assistance, but current data shows that:
 - 1. Mille Lacs Band members are no longer using the program; and
 - 2. Very few non-Band members use the program.
- WHEREAS, Based on the data provided by the Band's Commissioner of Administration, the Band Assembly recognizes that there is no longer a need to include General Assistance as part of the Band's 477 Plan.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band Assembly does hereby authorize and approve the submission of a P.L. 102-477 Plan to the United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs which discontinues General Assistance as part of the Plan.
- WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at a regular session of the Band Assembly in Legislative Council assembled, a quorum of legislators being present held on the 10th day of July, 2008 at Onamia, Minnesota by a vote of 3 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.
- IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the Band Assembly, hereunto cause to have set the signature of the Speaker of the Assembly.

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